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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **KIRA, et al.**

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Examiner: **David E. GRAYBILL**

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For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR FABRICATING A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: July 11, 2007

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated January 11, 2007 for three months, from April 11, 2007 to July 11, 2007.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account in the amount of \$1,020.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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